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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-004197 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 13-Oct-2008

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 630 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1530 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: CWI Present: Yes Zhang Bao No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:**

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component: OBG** Assembly

Summary of Items Observed:

This report serves to document the events occurring on this date at the following location. Caltrans Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector Robert Vatcher arrived on site at the Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) facility at Changxing Island, in Shanghai, China, for the purpose of monitoring welding and fabrication of the San Francisco / Oakland Bay Bridge (SFOBB) components. The QA Inspector observed the following:

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QA performed Magnetic Particle Testing (MT) on longitudinal diaphragms (LD) for segments 3AW, 3BW, 4AW & 4BW to facilitate the AB/F ZPMC, Caltrans informal Green Tagging process. A total of four LD's will not be green tagged due to linear indications and visual issues being discovered at the time of QA inspection. The following LD's are affected. 3BW LD011-002 (Overlap issue), 4AW LD001-002 weld 77 (MT linear indication), 4BW LD003-008 (Welding over Oxy-Acetylene Flame Cut notches) & 4BW LD004-008 Weld 2 (MT Linear Indications). Incident reports will be generated for the overlap, notches and 4BW LD004-008 Weld 2 (MT Linear Indications) and submitted to the SMR for resolution.

Summary of Conversations:

No relevant conversations this date.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or

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remedial efforts please contact Ady Velasco 138-1694-2685, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Vatcher, Robert	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Cuellar,Robert	QA Reviewer